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For: IN-PLANE SWITCHING MODE LIQUID
CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE AND
MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 2, 2003 (Paper No. 7), finally rejecting claims 18-25, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions of claims in the application.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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